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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: INFORMATION SERVICE SEARCH SUPPORT APPARATUS,  
INFORMATION SERVICE SEARCH APPARATUS, AND  
INFORMATION SERVICE SEARCH METHOD

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 38 pages, including 3 independent claims and 15 claims total.
2. Drawings- 11 sheets of drawings containing 20 figures.
3. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-188340, filed June 27, 2002.

4. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with documents attached.
5. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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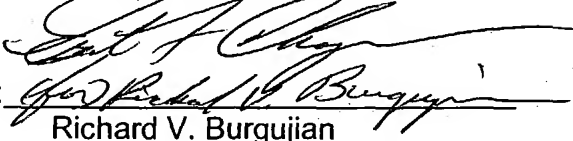

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